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**Unit ID**

UA 5.327

**Unit ID**

/repositories/2/resources/9662

**Unit Date**

Circa 1945-2008

**Language**

English Japanese

**Extent**

.42 Linear Feet 1 Hollinger box and 3 army uniforms

**Repository**

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# Biographical / Historical

Jay Sandy Shartzter was born to Ausel and Eva Fentress Shartzter on February 25, 1930 in Caneyville, Grayson, Kentucky. In 1947, Jay enlisted in the U.S. Army and was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant in 1951. In April 1948, Shartzter married Ruby Mae Hall in Tampa, Hillsborough, Florida, United States and had two daughters. Shartzter served in the 593d Transportation Traffic Regulation Detachment during the Korean War. As a result of his service he received the Meritorious Unit Commendation award for providing outstanding service in support of combat operations in Korea from Oct. 16, 1952 to July 28, 1953. In 1955, Shartzter married Japanese secretary Emiko Iwasaki and had four children. After the Korean War, Shartzter became a Senior Army Aviator, piloting multiple U.S. Army fixed and rotary-winged aircraft as both a maintenance and instructor pilot. He later retired in Fort Eustis, Virginia in 1969 and focused on academics receiving education from the University of Maryland, William & Mary, University of Arkansas, George Mason, and Old Dominion University. As a result of his education he became an MBA graduate, professor of accounting, law school student, and doctoral candidate. Shartzter died on December 30, 2008 in Hampton, Virginia.

# Content Description

The Jay Sandy Shartzter collection contains personal and professional materials documenting the military career of Lieutenant Colonel Jay Sandy Shartzter, William & Mary class of 1971. Materials include army uniforms, a personal autobiographical statement by Jay Sandy Shartzter, army related decrees and applications, discharge certificates, clippings, and photographs.

# Arrangement

The collection is organized into series by accession. The finding aid may be updated to reflect recent acquisitions to the collection.

# Description of Subordinate Components

## Series I. US military and personal papers

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/593829

**Unit Date** Circa 1945-2018

### Autobiography

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603771

**Unit Date** 1996

**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)

**Container** 1 (folder)

**Birth, first marriage and death certificate****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603772**Unit Date** Circa 1945-2008**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 2 (folder)**Certificates, diplomas and awards****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603773**Unit Date** 1945-2008**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 3 (folder)**Divorce decree and circuit court documents****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603774**Unit Date** 1952-1969**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 4 (folder)**General educational development individual record****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603775**Unit Date** 1965**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 5 (folder)**Honorable discharge records****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603776**Unit Date** 1950**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 6 (folder)**Korean War records****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603777**Unit Date** 1952-1953**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 7 (folder)**Marriage to Emiko Iwasaki and lieutenant records****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603778**Unit Date** 1955-1957**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 8 (folder)**Post retirement papers****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603779**Unit Date** 1960-1967**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 9 (folder)

**Photographs**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603780

**Unit Date** Circa 1957-1980s

**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)

**Container** 10 (folder)

**University and aviation records**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603781

**Unit Date** 1960-1969

**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)

**Container** 11 (folder)

**Series II. Military Uniforms**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603782

**Scope and Contents**

Three uniforms adorned with medals and pins.

**Brown uniform jacket**

**Unit ID** 2023.048.A1a

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603783

**Textiles** 1 (object)

**Green uniform jacket**

**Unit ID** 2023.048.A2a

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603784

**Textiles** 2 (object)

**Navy blue uniform jacket**

**Unit ID** 2023.048.A3a

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/603785

**Textiles** 3 (object)